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## AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

This paper is responsive to the Action dated October 19, 2005 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 in connection with the above-identified application. Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended, without prejudice, as follows:

- Ø Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.
- $\boxtimes$ Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.